



Notification of

**REFERRAL DECISION AND DESIGNATED PROPONENT – controlled action  
DECISION ON ASSESSMENT APPROACH**

**Yan Yean Road Stage 2 Upgrade, Victoria (EPBC 2018/8371)**

This decision is made under section 75 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act).

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| <b>proposed action</b> | To duplicate (from two to four lanes) approximately 5.5 km of the existing Yan Yean Road, from Kurack Road in the south to Bridge Inn Road in the north, and to undertake associated construction, in Victoria [See EPBC Act referral 2018/8371]. |
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| <b>decision on proposed action</b> | <p>The proposed action is a controlled action.</p> <p>The project will require assessment and approval under the EPBC Act before it can proceed.</p> |
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| <b>relevant controlling provisions</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Listed threatened species and communities (sections 18 &amp; 18A)</li></ul> |
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| <b>designated proponent</b> | <p>DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT</p> <p>ABN 69 981 208 782</p> |
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| <b>assessment approach</b> | The project will be assessed under the assessment bilateral agreement with Victoria. |
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**Decision-maker**

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| <b>Name and position</b> | <p>James Barker</p> <p>Assistant Secretary</p> <p>Assessments and Governance Branch</p> |
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**Signature**

**date of decision**

21/4/2019